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IRONTON, MISSOURI.
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Announcement.

We are authorized to announce O. J. BUFORD as a candidate for Commissioner of Public Schools of Iron county, subject to the action of the voters at the school election April 4th.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

April Fool—Saturday.
The trees are leafing.
Now for the April showers.
School election next Tuesday.
The March winds are blowing.
The boys are snaring the suckers.

The early gardens are promising.
The REGISTER does the best of printing.

Prof. Daugherty's summer school May 8th.

Lopez's spring opening next Tuesday.

The Valley needs, and badly needs, more houses.

County court is in session settling with the collector this week.

The Lopez Store Company tells of spring goods—and lots of them.

The Easter lilies are in bloom—long, long before Easter this time.

Love Feast service at Fort Hill church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

The county board of equalization will be in session at the courthouse next week.

Remember the splendid bargains at B. N. Brown's, successor to Mullin & Brown.

March has been a delightful month all the way through. Will it go out like a lion?

An entertainment will be given for the benefit of the public school library about May 5th.

Quite a lot of hubs are being hauled from the factory at Munger to Ironton for shipment.

The creamery building in Arcadia is about completed and ready for the machinery.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Academy of Music will be held next Monday.

Subject of sermon at the brick chapel Sunday evening, "Watchman, What of the Night?"

We understand that G. W. Collins intends moving to his farm on Crane Pond in the near future.

As yet no great interest has been manifested as to who will be chosen school directors next Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Steel has been quite sick with pneumonia the past week, but is improving now.

We have a communication from Walter Strotter, now in Texas, which will be printed next week.

About twenty applicants for certificates took the teachers' examinations last Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Reynolds, the new pastor of the Presbyterian church, is expected here to hold services next Sunday.

A complete line of ladies' spring and summer hats, latest style and lowest prices, at B. N. Brown's, successor to Mullin & Brown.

Our annual spring opening is Tuesday, April 4th. Music and souvenirs. Come one, come all.

LOPEZ STORE CO.

LOST—Last Friday morning, between drug store and post-office, a small, brown purse, containing \$4.55. Return to this office and receive reward.

When you use the telephone be careful what you say. There may be a connection that you dream not of, and confusion and consternation may follow.

"With Jesus in the Home of the Confessor," is the subject at the League meeting at the brick chapel Sunday evening. Miss Ada Marks, leader.

The county court having failed to draw a petit jury thirty days before the first day of circuit court, the selection of the jury will be the duty of the sheriff.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A lot of surreys, buggies, jump seats and harness. Will sell for good note or trade for any kind of stock. Call at once. H. M. COLLINS.

There were nineteen would-be teachers attended the examinations in Ironton last Friday and Saturday. All but two of the number were trying for a third-grade certificate.

Henry Adolph Monday received a check for \$1,000 in favor of Mrs. Sarah Riley in payment of the policy held by her late husband in the Modern Woodmen. Prompt payment.

The secretary of the Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will be prompt with all subscriptions to the Ladies' Home Journal, Delinquent, Designer and McCull's Magazine that are entrusted to her.

Judge Buford arrived in town Tuesday to attend county court. The Judge has been quite sick, having been confined to his room for the past six weeks. He is some better now, and we trust on the road to perfect health once more.

Sam Andrews' fine horse died from lockjaw last Friday. The animal had cut its shoulder in a fence a few days before and lockjaw resulted. The horse was one of the best in the county.

An electric light plant in Ironton is much to be desired. But an electric light plant to give satisfaction has to be run right. Poor service in electric lights is an abomination and a nuisance.

Thos. Jackson and brother, of Annapolis, have moved to their mill on Sinking creek. We are told that they have enough timber to keep the mill running for ten years.—Reynolds County Outlook.

The M. E. Conference, which has been in session at Farmington the past week, returned Rev. T. G. Peterson as pastor of the church at Ironton for the ensuing year. Rev. E. H. Maynard will be pastor at Graniteville.

The following officers of the Baptist Ladies' Aid Society were re-elected for the year 1905: President, Mrs. J. N. Bishop; Vice-President, Mrs. W. A. Fletcher; Treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Buckley; Secretary, Mrs. Louis Miller.

Henry Evans, a popular conductor on this road who was operated on in the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis two or three weeks ago, is improving. His many friends here hope for his speedy recovery.—De Soto Press.

Call and inspect the display of 11-4 lengths of woolen at our store during week beginning Monday, April 3d. These patterns are nobly and up-to-date. Now is the proper time to leave your order for Easter clothes. Let us take your measure. LOPEZ STORE CO.

One of the judges in a central Missouri county court registered a kick against an item in a bill recently sent in. It was for "ribbons for typewriter," and the judge thought that "the county oughtn't to pay for her clothes, even if she is a real nice girl."—Kansas City World.

August Winkler will begin work the first of April on the construction of a fine business building on his lot on Third street just opposite the old bottling works plant. The new building will be a three story structure and will be strictly modern in all of its appointments.—Poplar Bluff Citizen.

Miss Mary Souland, who died last week, was among the first of the summer visitors to the Valley from St. Louis. Over thirty years ago Miss Souland spent her summer here and has kept it up almost continuously ever since. In fact, in later years she spent both summer and winter in Arcadia.

We desire every member of the Methodist Episcopal Church to be present at the services Sunday morning. The theme will be "Mutual Consideration." Text, Heb. 10:24. Please read and study the entire chapter, and be present if possible. Don't make an excuse. T. G. PETERSON, Pastor.

Last Thursday's St. Louis Star says that an officer from the Baracks last week paid a visit to the rifle range here in the Valley and reports same as being in a deplorable condition. Well, there'll be no tears shed here if the Ninth Cavalry passes us up altogether and does not come at all this summer.

W. G. Fairchild last Thursday evening received word of the death of his sister, Mrs. James H. Vail, in Keytsville that day. Mrs. Vail had been sick only a few days and the announcement of her death was unlooked for. Long years ago the deceased was a resident of Ironton and many of the older residents mourn her demise.

The screen factory is very busy shipping doors these days. Shipments are made to Oklahoma, Texas and all points west and south. We are glad to say that under that under the able and energetic management of Mr. Cain the screen factory promises to do more business this year than has ever been done before in its history.

Several cars in a freight train turned over this side of Sabula at an early hour last Thursday morning and in consequence the track was blocked for several hours. No. 7, the south-bound fast mail in the morning, went around by the Belmont branch and we had no mail until evening. The wreck was rather a disastrous one, but fortunately no one was injured.

The St. Francois County Eagle, of last week, in a local item noted that, "Dick Bell of Potosi said only last week that he was authorized by Mr. Robb to say that he would run again for congress." This was an error. Mr. Bell, in conversation with his friends, said that he was not authorized to say that Mr. Robb would be a candidate for congress again. As yet Mr. Robb has not announced his plans for the future further than that he will remain in the district and practice law.—Potosi Independent.

Louis Houck and wife returned to-day at noon from Washington, D. C., where they have been for about two months. Mr. Houck went there to study the records which had to do with Missouri in past days. He also finished up his history, to which he has been giving much attention for several years. After leaving Washington he went to New York, where he put his manuscript in the hands of DeVinne, the famous printer. He means to have the finest printer's and binder's work done on his book.—Cape Republican.

Mrs. Lulu Gillam Woodside and her sister, Miss Bessie, are in St. Louis this week, where they will familiarize themselves with all that is new in spring and summer millinery. Before her return to Ironton Mrs. Woodside will purchase an elegant line of millinery

and notions, and also a complete line of ready-made skirts. Mrs. Woodside asks the ladies to kindly defer their spring and summer purchases until they have had an opportunity to examine her display, which she is quite certain will contain something to please them all.

Chicago's dollar a year daily, the Chicago Daily Review, is making wonderful strides in public favor. The Daily Review condenses all the news into a four page paper, and includes a brilliant magazine article by a good author every day, also fine editorials, much choice miscellany, and a complete and carefully edited market report. It publishes nothing which cannot be read aloud in the family circle, hence is a splendid paper for women and children, as well as a great favorite with busy farmers, workmen, merchants, lawyers, ministers, physicians, teachers, etc. The subscription price is \$1 a year, 75 cents for six months 50 cents for three months. Send one dollar a day for a year's subscription. Address, Chicago Review Co., 599 Cola Building, Chicago, Ill.

On last Saturday night, about 9:30 o'clock, a bright light was seen in the heavens; the light resembled an immense meteor at times, but would fade completely out of sight, reappearing again in a few seconds a tiny spark, but gradually growing in size and beauty. It appeared to be traveling in a northwesterly direction and at 10:15 had completely disappeared from view. As seen through a field glass, this phenomena resembled at its brightest, an electric search light, and was magnificent in its dazzling splendor. It was certainly a beautiful sight and we have not seen any explanation of the heavenly light.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

A representative of the bridge and building department of the railroad was here one day last week going over the plans for the new depot with Agent Downey, and getting any suggestions he might have to offer on the subject. The plans that have been adopted provide for a station house to cost about \$1700. There will be waiting rooms for men and women, telegraph and express offices and a freight warehouse. The blue prints indicate that the building will present a very nice appearance. The depot will be built alongside the main track and the local track will be moved and placed west of the station. We are certainly glad that we are this far on the way to a new depot. We trust there will be no more delay.

That Poplar Bluff is a lucky town has been proven in more ways than one, but possibly the luckiest streak the city has been the recipient of for many moons is the proposition now on foot whereby we are to rob De Soto of her Iron Mountain railroad shops.

The report has been current for some time that the railroad company was contemplating a change in the location of her shops, but not until the last days has the matter begun to take on real form. In conversation with a gentleman of this city who enjoys the distinction of being pretty close to the ground floor in Iron Mountain affairs we are informed that since the road is contemplating changing her 1800 class of engines to pull twenty ton loads from Texarkana to St. Louis, the theory is advanced that in order to do this the trains would have to run from Texarkana to St. Louis, via this city to Dexter and thence over the Thebes bridge to East St. Louis. This would put the shops at De Soto out of reach of the main freight line of the road and they would in all probability be removed to this city where they would be on a line with the greatest amount of freight work. It is generally conceded that the change will be made and that this city will get the shops. In fact, negotiations are now on foot for the purchase of the old fair grounds for the location of the shops.—Poplar Bluff Citizen.

It seems that they have telephone troubles in the lead belt, or at least, we should judge so from the following, taken from the last issue of the Lead Belt News: "Since the announcement by the Farmington Telephone Company that after April 1st the rate for 'phones would be increased to three dollars for business houses and \$1.50 for residences, two demonstrations have been circulated throughout the lead belt against the arbitrary action of the company. The petitions recite that the people have put up with poor service, which has not been improved since the night service went into effect, and the signers pledge themselves to have their 'phones removed before they will submit the increase.' The petitions have been quite generally signed throughout the lead belt towns. Our business people insist that as the stores close at seven o'clock in the evening and do not open till about that hour in the morning a night service is useless to them. They do not open at all Sundays and hence have no use for Sunday service. The day service is no better than it has been, and 'cut offs,' 'line busy,' etc., are just as frequent as formerly; while it often takes repeated ringings to rouse central. It is said negotiations with the Bell people will be taken up if a satisfactory settlement is not reached with the Farmington company."

The following is from the Post-Dispatch of March 22d: "Second Lieutenant Albert J. Mohn, Fourth United States Cavalry, stationed at Jefferson Barracks, is awaiting official confirmation of the news dispatches which announce President Roosevelt has approved the findings of the court-martial recently held at Jefferson Barracks, which declared Lieut. Mohn guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. As soon as the order is received at the Barracks Lieut. Mohn will be stripped of his insignia of rank. Although only 24 years of age Lieut. Mohn has created a stir which has been

the talk in army circles throughout the country. He has charged that he was the victim of a conspiracy among several of his superior officers. On two occasions Lieut. Mohn has been court-martialed and both findings were against him. In each instance he had written letters to military authorities which were deemed by other officers as reflecting upon them. In February, Lieut. Mohn was fined \$200 and the loss of 50 furloughs for a letter he had written commenting upon an argument of a soldier to shoot at the range, for which Mohn was blamed. This letter was termed by Capt. Slocum to be "impertinent and untrue." Mohn demanded that Slocum be tried for this statement, but instead Mohn was tried and fined. He appealed over the court-martial to the President, who ordered a court of inquiry to investigate Mohn's charges that he was the victim of a conspiracy. The court findings were for the dismissal of Mohn. The President's approval is reported in the news dispatches. Lieut. Mohn was a trooper in the regular cavalry and won his commission in competitive examination after service in the Philippines. He has charged that West Point officers were in league against him."

From an Exchange: "Since the fall pasture has lost what little attraction it ever had for the town cow, she has become a greater nuisance than ever. The last municipal election showed the town cow that she had a safe majority behind her, and her depreciable have become almost intolerable. The town cow is no beauty. Her hide would look well in a tan-yard and her tough old carcass might be ground up, canned and shipped to the Philippines. The untutored natives probably could not distinguish between it and real beef. The town cow is worth at the most liberal estimate \$22.19 counting hide, horns and bones; and she is mostly bones—and paunch. And this same beast, with an intrinsic value of a little over twenty dollars, has been known in a single day to destroy a thirty-five dollar fence, twenty-five dollars' worth of trees and shrubbery, chew up ten dollars' worth of family linen, break forty dollars' worth of plate glass front, swipe a sack of flour out of a farm wagon on the street, devour an enormous quantity of potatoes, cabbage and turnips in front of the stores, and then wind up the day's festivities by giving down, after a patient and laborious struggle on the part of the owner, three and one-half ounces of the bluest kind of milk. The town cow has the protection of the law and you have no recourse. If she breaks down your fence, build it up again. She will probably break it down again next day; but keep on building. If she destroys your flowers and shrubbery, plant for her to destroy. If she reaches up and yanks your only shirt off the clothes line and reduces it to pulp, buy another shirt, or keep your coat buttoned up to the top button. Her appetite for shirts must be respected. If an ordinary citizen trespasses on your premises and so much as lifts his hands against your property you can shoot him and the law will protect you. If the town cow trespasses on your premises and you injure one hair of her measly old hide the marshal will deliver you to the mayor and it will be better for you if a millstone were hanged about your neck and you were cast into the middle of the sea—all of which proves that it is much better to be a cow than an ordinary citizen. Let us hope and pray that the time will come when the law will remove its protection from the town cow and the butcher will remove her hide."

PERSONAL.

H. L. Bell was here from Bellevue Saturday.
B. S. Gregory was here from St. Louis last week.
R. J. Hill, of Bellevue, was in Ironton Saturday.
Conrad Kendal, of De Soto, was in Ironton Sunday.
W. A. Boring, of Bismarck, was in Ironton last week.
J. S. Benson, of Annapolis, was in Ironton Saturday.
The "boss" is visiting relatives in Little Rock this week.
Claude Marshall left Monday for Poplar Bluff where he has a position.
Phillip Hawkins, of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting his brother in Ironton.
Newman Farmer and Prof. Daugherty visited in Flat River Sunday.
L. C. Chambers is traveling in Southeast Missouri for a machinery house.
Mr. Fleming, of St. Joseph, Mo., was the guest Mr. and Mrs. Bond the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomson and Miss Virginia were at "Valley Home" Sunday.
Barney Frauenthal, Dr. Ben Schwab and Louis Hunt were in the Valley Saturday.
Franco Bond will be here from Upper Alton, Ill., for a few days the last of the week.
Miss Clara Schwab has returned to the Valley after an absence of several months in St. Louis.
Messrs. Jas. Lovelace and Jas. Necley, of Piedmont, were in Ironton Sunday evening the 19th.
Hugh Bradley and family, of Leeper, visited Mrs. M. B. Bradley and daughters in Ironton this week.
Harry Patton has gone to Brookhaven, Miss., where he will play ball this season in the Delta League.
Mrs. H. O'Brien will leave about the first of May for California where she will probably make her future home.
Mr. and Mrs. Hillis, who have been spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Cain, will probably return to Indiana next week.

F. M. Semands, who has been located at De Soto for some time past, is removing his family to Ironton and will occupy the Shapleigh home on the mountain side.
Mrs. A. M. Young and little granddaughter, Roberta Watkins, of Batesville, Arkansas, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. Manly at Fort Hill. Mrs. Young is Mrs. Manly's mother.

Some Specials For the Opening.

2000 yards Calico, fast colors, in black, blue and gray, at 27-8c a yard.
Ten dozen Ladies' Vests, good quality, at 4c each.
Six spools Coats Thread for 25c.
Ten bars Lenox Soap for 25c. (25c worth to a customer.)
Fresh seeded Raisins, 5c per package.
Above prices good only on opening day, Tuesday, April 4th. LOPEZ STORE CO.

The Best Cough Syrup.

S. L. Apple, ex-Probate Judge Ottawa, county, Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Granulated sugar, 16 lbs. for \$1 at Lopez Store Co.

Gallops for Aid.

When your stomach is all upset, your liver in bad shape, your bowels out of whack, your head like to split, and every nerve in your body on edge, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gallops for aid and you get it. It clears out your poisoned system, brings fresh, clean blood-supply to all your digestive organs, and restores to you that comfortable feeling of perfect health. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co. at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

To Prevent a Cold Any Day

Take a Ramon's Pill at first indication—arouse the liver, quicken the circulation and go along about your work. Any druggist will refund the price if not satisfied.

Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

To Cure Constipation

Take just a mite of Liver Food before retiring each night. Ramon's Tonic Regulator supplies it in a palatable form of powder, tea or tonic. 25c, and money back if not satisfied.

Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Has Stood the Test 25 Years

The old original Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, March 28, 1905:

Days of Week.	Temperature.		Precipitation.
	Highest.	Lowest.	
Wednesday.....	22	11	32
Thursday.....	23	15	54
Friday.....	24	17	33
Saturday.....	25	13	39
Sunday.....	26	12	47
Monday.....	27	19	37
Tuesday.....	28	17	63

NOTE—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

Now on hand a complete stock of Swift & Co.'s Spring Fertilizers at prices as reasonable as those asked by others for inferior grade. Ironton Flour Mills, Ironton, Mo.

Do Not Neglect a Bad Cold.

Never allow a cold to take its course. Too often at this season of the year its course is toward pneumonia. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will promptly cure your cold and counteract any tendency in this direction. There is nothing better for acute throat and lung troubles. For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

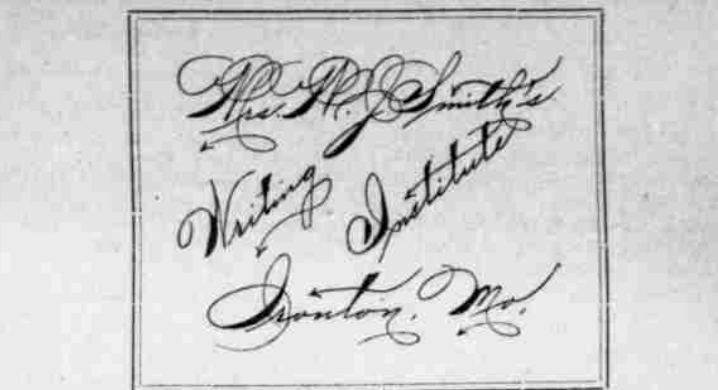
Mrs. Fred Kindell, Sr., now has her complete line of samples of Tailor Made Garments for spring and summer; also Shirt Waist Suits in all the latest fabrics. All the ladies of the Valley are invited to call and inspect, whether they wish to purchase or not.

School Children's Dyspepsia.

The common form of dyspepsia, or indigestion, which stops the growth, pales the cheeks, weakens the system of so many school children, is often due to improper or too quickly eaten lunches. While seeing to a correction of the cause, it is also important to cure the disordered conditions of stomach and bowels. This can be done by no medicine so safely and surely as by Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. Try it. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co. at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Croup.

An attack of croup can be ward off by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy promptly at the first indication of the approach of the disease. For Sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.



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School books and school supplies now on sale at H. Barnhouse's, south of courthouse, Ironton, Mo.

Invaluable for Rheumatism.

I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism and found that Ballard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains. March 24th, 1902, John C. Degman, Kinsman, Ills. 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Rubbers, all sizes, at E. L. Barnhouse's, south of courthouse.

Northern seed oats at Lopez Store Co.

To Cure a Cut, Sore or Wound apply Ramon's Nerve & Bone Oil promptly. It is antiseptic—stops the pain and causes healing by first intention—and money back if not satisfied.

Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Will pay \$10 per month for girl who can do my house work—cooking and washing.

MRS. JOHN NEWMAN.

We now have large sizes, 6, 7, 8, in women's shoes. Splendid value. E. L. Barnhouse, south of courthouse.

For bicycle repairs and repairing go to Albert.

Orders Disobeyed.

The orders or General Health have been disobeyed when you feel under the weather, weak, tired, irritable, and suffer from headache, constipation, biliousness, etc. The only sure, safe and permanent cure for this condition is Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It has a gentle action all its own, superior to that of pills, powder and cathartic waters. Try it. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co. at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

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